

**REMARKS**

Applicant respectfully requests consideration and allowance of the subject application. Claims 75-82 have been canceled and claims 1-74 are pending.

**Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121**

The claims are subjected to a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121 and are characterized by the Office as containing two patentably distinct inventions:

- I. Claims 1-74 drawn to "encoding data sets at a second device ..." (class 707, subclass 101); and
- II. Claims 75-82 drawn to "compressing/encoding Web pages structure using a compression function ..." (class 709, subclass 247).

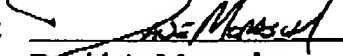
Applicant hereby elects to prosecute claims 1-74 (group I), and to cancel claims 75-82 (group II).

Conclusion

Pending claims 1-74 are in condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests consideration and issuance of the subject application. If any issues remain that preclude issuance of this application, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney before issuing a subsequent Action.

Respectfully Submitted,

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